

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 415 - SB 464**

February 18, 2011

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Authorizes courts, if an order of protection is granted, to direct the respondent to immediately and temporarily vacate a residence shared with the petitioner, pending a hearing to determine whether removal should continue.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

**Assumptions:**

- Under current law, respondents are prohibited from coming about, telephoning, contacting, or otherwise communicating with the petitioner, directly or indirectly, for any reason.
- According to the Administrative Office of the Courts, orders for the respondent to temporarily vacate a residence shared with the petitioner are often raised in current order of protection matters. The proposed legislation will not have a significant impact on the caseloads or adjudicatory processes of the state and local court systems.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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